THE LOCKOUT.

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feebly satisfactory to the journeymen in every other respect, but they refused to sign it with the arbitration clause inserted therein. And because we did not omit said clause we are working without an agreement to-day. This, notwithstanding the fact that the 'business agent' of the journeymen carpenters gave utterance to one of the best and most sensible speeches ever heard in this section in favor of arbitration. It might also interest the public to learn that we have granted the carpenters two points for the coming year. We are paying them the same rate of wages as last year, and they are working forty-four hours instead of forty-eight hours, as formerly. They made no particular demands to gain these points, either. They simply hinted that some concessions would be expected, and practically left it to us, with the above result. As might be expected, there was some little 'jockying' on both sides, but I am confident that the expected happened in this instance, and I am just as confident that had the present difficulty been approached in the spirit in which the master and journeymen carpenters went about their business, the result would have been far different. This statement will, I trust, be taken by the public in full for all the information I am in position to give. I am not a member of the 'Conference Committee' or the 'Arbitration Board,' and am therefore unable to render an official report upon this or any other matter in connection with the present difficulty.

"Very truly yours,
"L. JEROME AIMAR,
"Secretary M. C. Ass'n."

Historic Brookdale Bridge Gone.

An historic old bridge across the Morris Canal in Brookdale, and known as the change bridge on the short cut road from Brookdale to Passaic is no more. The old bridge succumbed to overweight and old age Saturday afternoon, and dropped into the canal, and with it dropped a wagon loaded with stone and a team of horses and William Payne, the driver of the team. Payne is a teamster and was driving home with about three tons of building stone. As he approached the bridge he waited for another vehicle containing three women and a man to pass.

He drove across the bridge, and as his horses' forefeet touched the macadam on the opposite side of the bridge, one of the big timbers known as the needle beam on the left side of the bridge, gave way and the horses were forced backward, and Payne, the wagon and the animals were precipitated into the canal.

Payne escaped death by a leap over the rotten bridge timber. Then he proceeded to save his horses. He was forced to cut the harness to pieces and lead the animals one by one out of the water. Payne was in the water three-quarters of an hour and was badly chilled and was compelled to take to his bed, a physician's services being required.

A dredger was sent to the scene and the rest of the bridge was pulled down. The stone was taken out of the canal and traffic was resumed.

Just Like Texas.

Employees of the Public Service Corporation got a bad scare Sunday evening at the city line, when a trolley car in which they were riding was subjected to a fusillade of pistol shots. One of the cars on the Bloomfield avenue line broke down Sunday evening at the Glen Ridge line and was being conveyed to Newark by an extra. At the corner of Belmont and Bloomfield avenues a crowd of Italians, who had been celebrating a festal day in Silver Lake, were waiting for a car to Newark. As the damaged car and the extra neared Belmont avenue, the crowd hailed it and wanted to get on. Those in charge did not stop the car, and an excited and angry Italian drew a revolver and emptied the chambers of it in shots at the car. Two of the bullets went through the side of the car.

The circumstance was reported at the office of the company, and Constable Warren E. Stickle, an employee of the company, was detailed to make an investigation and try and secure the arrest of the man who did the shooting.

Lackawanna's Special Rates.

St. Louis and return account World's Fair. Season tickets, (return limit December 15), $34; sixty-day tickets, $28.35; fifteen-day tickets, $23.25. Season and sixty-day tickets good via Chicago one way. All tickets allow stop over at Niagara Falls. Through Pullman service. Superior dining-car service, prices $1. Niagara Falls and return May 28 and 29, (return limit May 30th) $9.

For tickets, Pullman reservations, and any information desired, apply to nearest agent, or Guy Adams, Division Passenger Agent, 749 Broad street, Newark, N. J.

Cranberry Lake Opens May 30th.

Secret societies, pleasure clubs and organizations of all kinds contemplating outings for the summer should investigate Cranberry Lake before contracting for excursions elsewhere. For particulars ask any Lackawanna Agent, or address T. W. Lee, General Passenger Agent, New York city, or Guy Adams, Division Passenger Agent, Newark, N. J.

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Tax Reform.

The Tax Reform dinner given by the New Jersey Tax Reform Association at the Continental Hotel in Newark, on Friday night last week, was a notable event in the "Equal Taxation" movement. It was notable because it was the first dinner given by that progressive association, and because it was given in honor of John Z. White, the great Chicago orator and debater on economic reform. It was largely attended and most enthusiastic in its reception of the addresses presented. Prof. Byron C. Matthews presided and opened the dinner speaking by giving a statement of the generally accepted principles of taxation as follows:

"The generally accepted principles of taxation are:

"1. Every man should be taxed according to his ability to pay, or according to what he gets out of society.

"2. The whole amount of the tax, after deducting necessary expenses for collecting, should go to the Government.

"3. The amount of every man's tax should be fixed and definite.

"4. Taxes should be collected when most convenient to the taxpayer.

"All taxes are classified as direct or indirect. Direct taxes are those levied upon the person who is supposed to pay them. The following are examples: Poll, income, inheritance, personal, real estate, corporation and franchise. Indirect taxes are those levied upon persons who expect to shift the tax upon the consumer by raising the price of the article taxed. Tariff and internal consumer tax are illustrations of this class. Measured by the general principles of taxation stated above, every form of tax in common practise is found *wanting. Not one of them fulfills* every principle; the tariff does not comply with a single principle.

"The results of our methods of taxation are shown in the following figures, quoted from "Spahr's Distribution of Wealth." On the basis of income, those whose incomes are $5,000 or over pay in taxes for national purposes 1 per cent. of their incomes, while those whose incomes are less than $1,200 pay 5 per cent. of their incomes. On the basis of property those with incomes of $5,000 or more, pay 1 of one per cent. of their property, while those with incomes less than $1,200 pay 2.8 per cent., or twenty-eight times as much on the same amount of property. For State and local purposes the distribution of taxes is somewhat less irrational. Those with the larger incomes pay 7 per cent. of their incomes, while those with the smaller pay 3 per cent. Those with the larger incomes pay .6 of one per cent. of the property they own, while those with the smaller incomes pay 1.4 per cent. of their property. These figures indicate need for tax reform."

Patents Issued.

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Calvin McCroy's Funeral.

One of the largest funeral corteges seen in Watsessing for many years was that which accompanied the body of Calvin McCroy from the Watsessing M. E. Church to the Bloomfield Cemetery Sunday afternoon. In addition to the large number of relatives and friends of the deceased in attendance at the funeral service, several organizations, military and fraternal, were largely represented. The Rev. P. G. Blight conducted the service, and the remains were interred with military honors under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Previous to the service in the church there was a brief service at the family home, No. 40 Ella street. As the casket was borne from the house the members of James A. Garfield Post, Grand Army of the Republic, under command of Past Commander James H. Brown, and Adjutant Lewis W. Hunt, the members of James T. Boyd Council, Junior O. U. A. M., under command of Councillor Joseph A. Dodd, and the members of Garfield Circle, Brotherhood of the Union, headed by Chief Washington Charles P. Svenson, formed in line and uncovered as the casket was borne to the hearse. Many beautiful floral tributes were placed upon the casket.

At the service in the church a choir of fifteen voices sang "Nearer, my God to Thee," and "Homeward Bound." The procession to the grave was headed by the fife and drum corps of James A. Garfield Post. The G. A. R. funeral services were held at the grave. Chaplain George U. Houck of Garfield Post, officiating. At the conclusion of the service three volleys were fired over the grave, after which taps were sounded.

All Property Should be Equal

We agree with the Newark *Advertiser* that any person of ordinary intelligence should be able to understand that equal taxation requires that all classes of property shall be on equal terms under the law, and be treated alike. Equal taxation is all right in theory, but how is it to be applied and enforced? The tax laws have been evaded, and it is almost beyond human ingenuity to prevent this condition of affairs. It is a fair presumption that where a community finds it advantageous to make tax concessions to industries or to encourage building operations for the general benefit, a way to do so will be found, despite any prohibitory legislation that may be put upon the statute book. From the time taxes were first imposed there have been tax dodgers and tax concessions. These are problems that may not be eliminated by a simple adoption of equal taxation.—*Camden Post-Telegram.*

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Proposals for Broken Stone.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Town Council of the Town of Bloomfield at the office of the Town Clerk of said town until June 6, 1904, at 8 P. M., for the furnishing of 2,000 tons more or less of broken stone delivered at such points in the town as may be designated by the Road Committee. Each proposal must state the price per ton of 2,240 pounds. Each load of stone delivered must be accompanied with weigher's certificate.

All proposals must be sealed and endorsed "Proposals for furnishing Broken Stone," and addressed to WM. L. JOHNSON, Town Clerk.

The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Town Council.
WM. L. JOHNSON,
Town Clerk.

BLOOMFIELD, N. J., May 16, 1904.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

Sealed Proposals will be received by the Board of Education for seven hundred tons, more or less, of Lehigh, Scranton or Pittston Coal, egg or stove, mine to be named, to be delivered, well screened, as required at any of the school-houses in the town during the year ending June 3, 1905.

Bids must be opened at the room of the Board of Education in the High School Building on Monday, June 6, 1904, at eight o'clock.

BLOOMFIELD, N. J., May 20, 1904.
WM. A. BALDWIN,
CHARLES F. KOCHER,
Committee on Supplies.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.—Between John Tims, complainant, and Rosene Yost et al. defendants, on bill, etc. Notice to absent defendants.—To John Antoner and Bert. Chapman:

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the day of the date thereof, in a cause wherein John Tims is complainant, and you and others are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the bill of said complainants, on or before the fourteenth day of July next, or the said bill will be taken as confessed against you. The said bill is filed to foreclose a mortgage given by Louis Yost and Rosene his wife, to the said John Tims, dated January 11, A. D. 1896, on lands in the Township of Bloomfield, in the County of Essex and State of New Jersey; and you, John Antoner, are made a defendant because you are the husband of Bertha Antoner, one of the heirs at law of the said Louis Yost, deceased; and you, Bert. Chapman, are made a defendant because you are the husband of Emily Chapman, one of the heirs at law of said Louis Yost, deceased.

Dated May 16, 1904.
ROBERT S. PRICE, Solicitor,
Post Office Address: Hackettstown, N. J.

(Chancery A—369.)

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Pauline Seibert, wife of Charles L. Seibert, complainant, and Emma A. Charpentier, defendant. Fi. fa., for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the court house in Newark, on Tuesday, the twenty-first day of June next, at two o'clock P. M., all that tract or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the town of Bloomfield, Essex county, New Jersey:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Franklin street distant south nine degrees and twenty-five and one-half minutes east one hundred and ninety feet from the point of intersection of the same with the southerly line of Race street; thence (1) south eighty degrees thirty-four and one-half minutes west one hundred and eighty-three feet and eight one hundredths of a foot; thence (2) south five degrees thirty-six minutes east thirty feet, or more, to lands of one Shubog; thence (3) along the same north eighty degrees thirty-four and one-half minutes east one hundred and eighty-three feet, more or less, to said westerly line of Franklin street; and thence (4) along the same south nine degrees twenty-five and one-half minutes west thirty feet to the point or place of beginning.

Newark, N. J., May 16, 1904.
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Progress of Woman Suffrage.

Mrs. May Alden Ward, President of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, said at the recent Festival of the New England Woman Suffrage Association:

"A great change is coming over the clubs in regard to woman suffrage. Only four or five years ago, when it was proposed that our State Federation should recommend women to use their school vote, the idea was considered so alarming that a special meeting of the State Board was called, and there was much opposition; and the proposal was only carried at last by the argument that school suffrage was an accomplished fact, and that we must accept its responsibilities. Two years ago, the State Federation devoted a day to the question how to increase women's school vote, without objection from anybody.

"In looking over the programme for the Biennial of the General Federation at St. Louis, I am struck by the change in the subjects to be considered, they are so much more serious and solid than they used to be. Many are legislative and legal. I see that Mrs. Sarah Platt Decker is to give an address on what the ballot can do for working women. That would not have been possible two years ago.

"The clubs are helping the suffrage movement by awakening the civic conscience in women. We now have committes on child labor, on legislation affecting working women, etc., and the more the club women get interested in these questions, the more they learn to desire the ballot."

Teachers Appointed

The Board of Education has appointed the following teachers for the year which begins next September: Wm. E. Chancellor, Superintendent; P. J. Smith, Instructor in Music; Mrs. A. D. Carson, Frank W. Long, Grace E. Jones, Anna P. Thomas, Ella L. Draper, Elizabeth H. Wyman, Belle L. Merchant, Maud C. Gay, Hazeltine R. Fletcher, Arthur J. Meredith, Samuel H. Dodson, Minnette Martin, Anna S. Agnew, Edith L. Bishop, Rose E. Fouquet, Suzanne G. Osborn, Sarah S. Boice, Ruth Thomas, L. Arvilla Martin, Horatia Teall, Edith E. Walker, Jean C. Gillies, Jessie M. Norbury, Eugenia R. Watson, Mary E. Hecker, Mary M. Draper, Lizzie Otis, Mary J. Sloat, Jessie I. Meyers, Lela M. Stroud, Helen Bowne, Harriet C. Lowe, Tillie J. Deicke, Ida K. Brooks, Sarah E. Montfort, Mrs. Mary L. Ellinwood, M. Alice Gulick, Ida E. Robinson, Ella E. Ferguson, Helen L. Schatkowski, Carrie G. Swartwout, Lillian M. Galloway, Cornelia R. Corwin, William H. Rose, Jr., Thomas Agnew, Jr., Mary L. Martin, Nellie M. Ingoldsby, Blanche H. Crane, M. Estelle Dodd and Miriam G. Thomas. Superintendent Chancellor will begin next week to secure fourteen additional teachers.

Republican Committee Organized.

The Republican Town Executive Committee held a meeting Thursday night and organized for the year as follows: Charles F. Kocher, Chairman; Frank Foster, Vice-Chairman; Walter M. Hopler, Secretary; Charles F. Hummell, Treasurer. The members of the Executive Committee will select three men from each election district to act with the committee in an auxiliary capacity. The Executive Committee intends to take early action with regard to plans for the approaching Presidential campaign.

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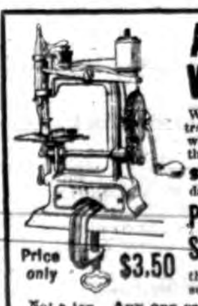

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